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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

Under EPA Contract No. 68-W-00-108, Work Assignment No. 3-08, TechLaw, Inc. (TechLaw) is providing technical support and oversight activities during the planning and implementation of Expanded Site Investigations (ESIs), Non-time Critical Removal Actions (RAs), Remedial Investigations (RIs), Risk Assessments, and Feasibility Studies (FSs) for identified areas of concern at the Former New River Storage Depot (NRSD), Flow Laboratory Site (FLS) located in Pulaski, Virginia. The NRSD contains a portion of the current Radford Army Ammunition Plant.

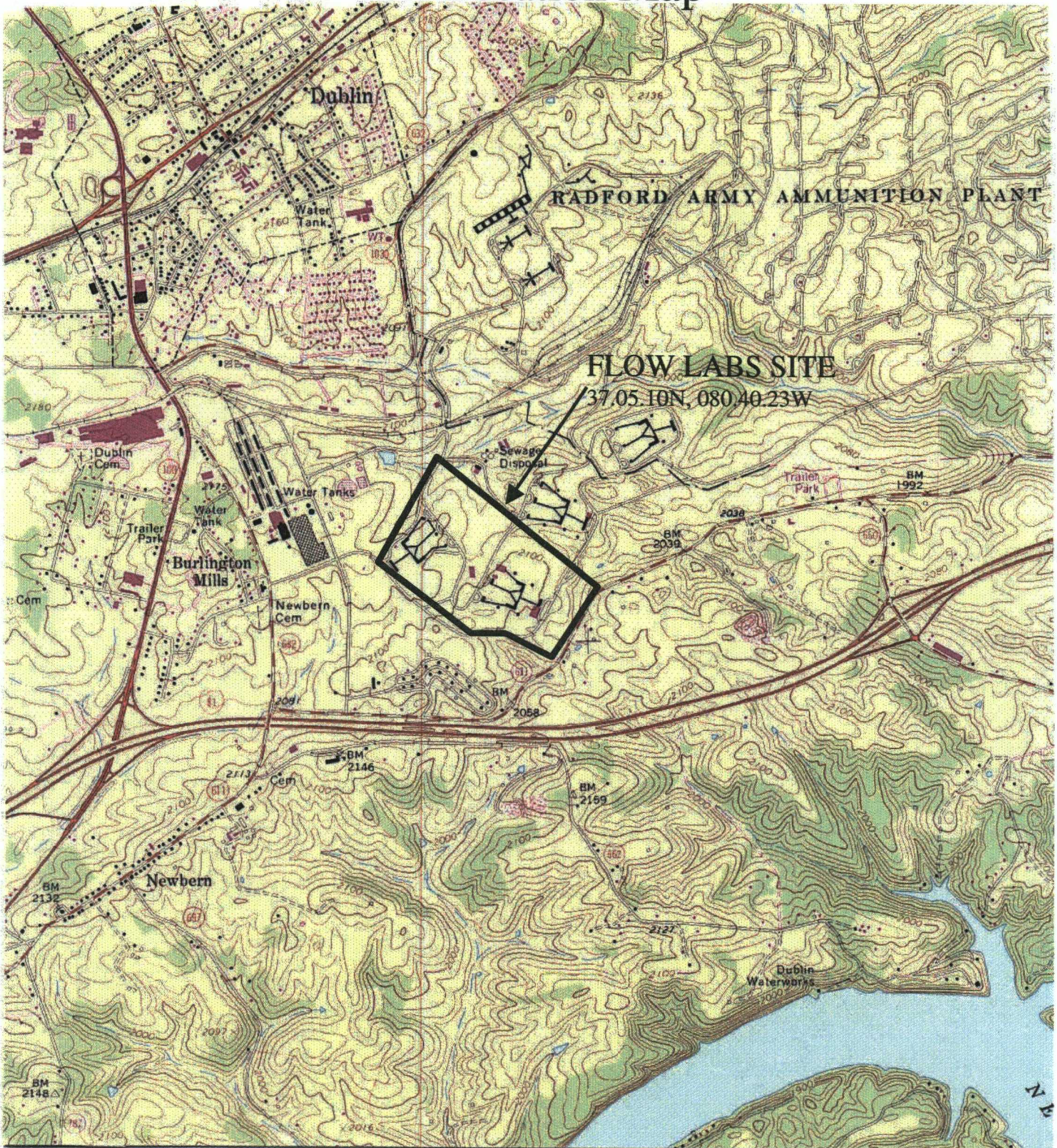
TechLaw was tasked to conduct sampling at the NRSD, FLS (Figure 1-1). TechLaw conducted surface and sub-surface sampling at selected areas on the FLS with a team consisting of TechLaw and a geoprobe subcontractor Vironex Environmental Field Services, Inc. (Vironex).

This trip report presents a summary of the soil sampling activities conducted at the FLS April 16 and 29, 2002.



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Figure 1-1  
Site Location Map



USGS Quad1984 Dublin, Virginia Scale 1:24,000



## 2.0 BACKGROUND/SITE DESCRIPTION

The NRSD (also known as the New River Ordnance Plant) is located in Pulaski and Montgomery Counties, VA, near the community of Dublin. The NRSD originally consisted of 3,840 acres. Currently, a total of 2,813 acres are still operated as part of the Radford Army Ammunition Plant. The remaining acres, which were deeded or transferred to other owners or users, includes the FLS, which is currently owned by Mar-Bal, Inc.

The history of the NRSD dates back to the American Revolution. During WWII, the need for increased munitions production was the basis for opening the New River Ordnance Plant. The Government operated the plant under contract with Hercules Powder Co. of Wilmington, DE. The mission of this facility was the loading of propellant and igniter charges and the manufacture of the bags used for such charges.

During the post-war period, the War Assets Administration began disposal of portions of the former NRSD, starting as early as 1947-48 and continuing through 1978. Approximately 1,000 acres in the western portion of the original facility (including the FLS) had been sold or transferred during this period.

The Flow Laboratory appears to have begun activities on site approximately in 1970. This facility was owned and operated by Flow General Company, under the direction of their regional headquarters located in McLean, VA. Flow General operated nationwide and in 18 countries around the world. Their products included cell cultures, blood cells, bacteriological products, selected viral reagents, plastic labware, and instrumentation. In 1999, Gannett Fleming, Inc., discovered a 1983 product catalog during a site reconnaissance, which described the operations conducted at the Dublin facility. The catalog indicated that Flow Laboratory had the space and facilities to house all types of large and small animals. Complete blood cell product services, including selection, housing, and care of animals, test bleedings, inoculation, blood collection and serum preparation, according to requested customer protocols, were provided. Evidence of labware, petri dishes, sample vials, sample labels, and syringes were found during the site reconnaissance conducted by Gannett Fleming.

## 3.0 FIELD PERSONNEL

The TechLaw field team for the April 16, 2002 independent soil sampling event consisted of Mr. (b) (4) (TechLaw Chantilly, VA), and (b) (4) (Field Team Leader, TechLaw Pennsville, NJ). (b) (4) (Vironex, Inc.) conducted geoprobe activities as a subcontractor for TechLaw. The April 29, 2002 re-sampling event was performed by (b) (4) (b) (4) r (TechLaw, Pennsville, NJ).

## **4.0 FIELD AND SAMPLING ACTIVITIES**

### **4.1 INTRODUCTION**

This section summarizes the field activities conducted April 16 and 29, 2002. A field log was maintained to document the field activities. Photographs are provided in Appendix A.

### **4.2 SAMPLING ACTIVITIES**

The EPA Remedial Project Manager (RPM), Mr. Robert Thomson, and the TechLaw Project Manager, (b) (4) conducted a site reconnaissance visit on November 20, 2001. During this Site reconnaissance visit, numerous trenches and a mounded feature were found in wooded area located in the north/north east corner of the FLS. The objective for this sampling event was to evaluate suspect or previously disturbed areas of the FLS for possible hazardous substances contamination. The selection of sampling locations (see Figure 4-1) was based on information collected during the November 2001 reconnaissance visit. Samples collected during the soil sampling event on April 16, 2002, were analyzed for CLP Toxic Compound List (TCL) organics and Target Analyte List (TAL) metals. A summary of sample information can be found in Table 4-1.

Three coolers containing samples from the FLS soil sampling were shipped to the CLP lab (Southwest Laboratories of Oklahoma) via FedEx. One of the coolers, containing the Encore (surface soil for VOC analysis) samples, was delayed because addressee labels were removed during transit and FedEx returned them to the TechLaw office in Chantilly. The samples were re-iced and sent to the laboratory for Saturday delivery. However, the samples were not usable because the Encore samples exceeded the holding time for preparation of the samples. TechLaw filed a claim on April 26 against FedEx to recover the cost of the rejected samples.

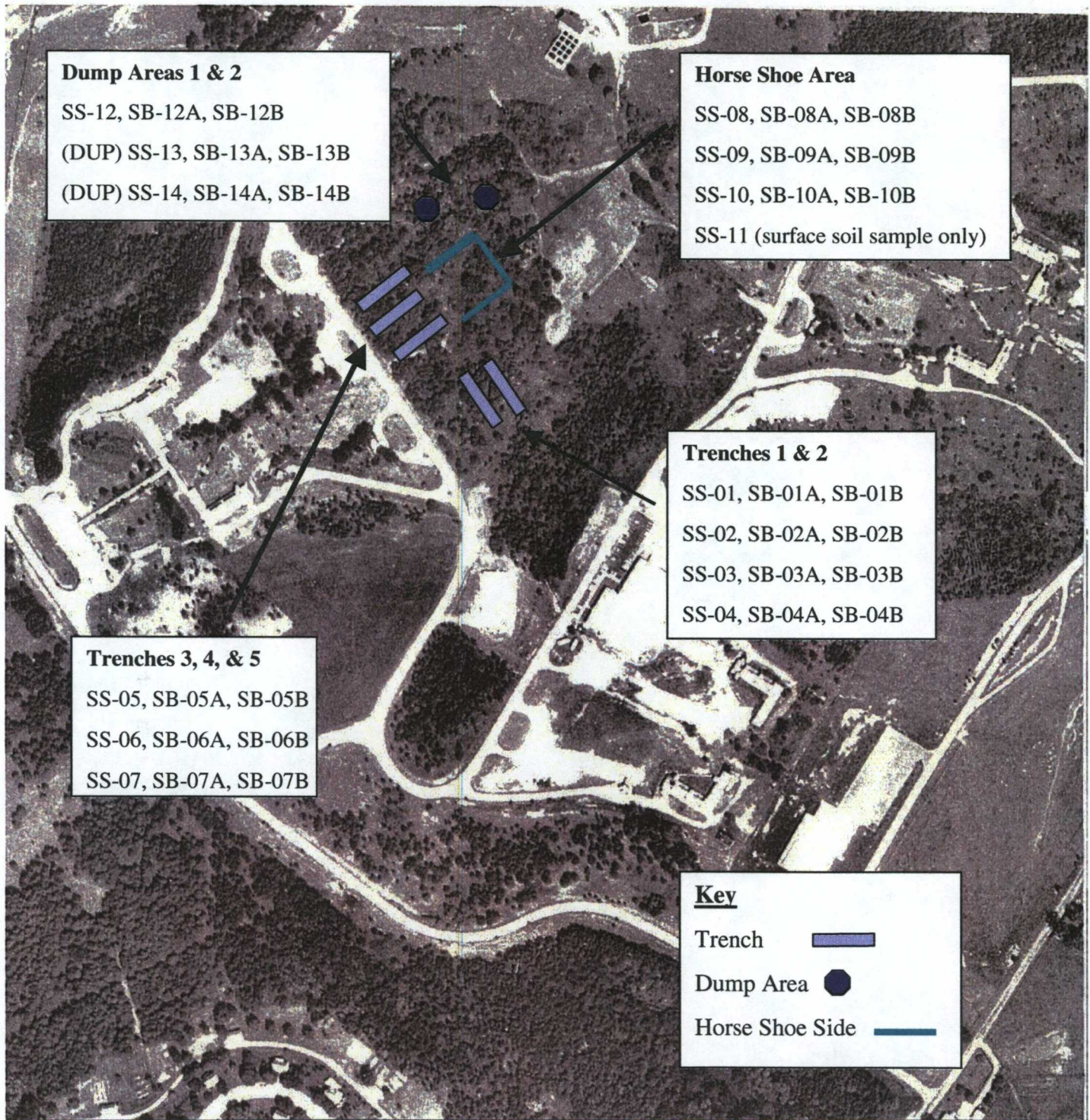
Upon discussions with EPA, on April 29, 2002, TechLaw re-sampled the surface soils for VOC analysis at all previously sampled locations. It was decided that if high concentrations of VOCs were observed in the April 29, 2002 surface soil samples, TechLaw would re-sample the subsurface soils. However, only one VOC, trichlorofluoromethane, was detected in 2 of the 14 surface soil samples collected on April 29, 2002 and both results were well below the RBC levels.

The field team was unable to collect samples in the middle of the Horse Shoe Area (samples SS-11, SB-11A and SB-11B) on the April 16, 2002 sampling trip due to the presence of standing water. However, on the April 29, 2002 sampling trip (to re-sample the surface soil), a surface soil sample was obtained (SS-11, VOC analysis only).

Three soil horizons were sampled during the April 16, 2002 event. Samples coded SS, were surface (0-6 in.) samples. Samples coded SB-XXA, were subsurface (0 - 4 ft.), and Samples coded SB-XXB, were subsurface (4 - 8 ft.).



Figure 4-1  
Sample Location Map



Aerial Photographic Overflight, Flow Labs Site, September 21, 1981. Approximate Scale 1:4,260

**Table 4-1: Summary of Sample Information - April 2002**  
**Flow Laboratory Site, Radford Army Amunition Plant,**  
**Pulaski and Montgomery Counties, Virginia**

| <b>TechLaw<br/>Sample Number</b> | <b>CLP and DAS<br/>Sample Numbers</b> | <b>Matrix</b> | <b>Total<br/>Metals</b> | <b>VOCs</b> | <b>SVOCs/<br/>Pesticides/<br/>PCBs</b> |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|-------------|--|
| <b>Flow Laboratory Site</b>      |                                       |               |                         |             |  |
| SS-01                            | MC0QJ6, C0QN9, C0003                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-01A                           | MC0QJ7, C0QP0                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-01B                           | MC0QJ8, C0QP1                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-02                            | MC0QJ9, C0QP2, C0004                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-02A                           | MC0QK0, C0QP3                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-02B                           | MC0QK1, C0QP4                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-03                            | MC0QK2, C0QP5, C0005                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-03A                           | MC0QK3, C0QP6                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-03B                           | MC0QK4, C0QP7                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-04                            | MC0QK5, C0QP8, C0006                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-04A                           | MC0QK6, C0QP9                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-04B                           | MC0QK7, C0QQ0                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-05                            | MC0QK8, C0QQ1, C0007                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-05A                           | MC0QK9, C0QQ2                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-05B                           | MC0QL0, C0QQ3                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-06                            | MC0QL1, C0QQ4, C0008                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-06A                           | MC0QL2, C0QQ5                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-06B                           | MC0QL3, C0QQ6                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-07                            | MC0QL4, C0QQ7, C0009                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-07A                           | MC0QL5, C0QQ8                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-07B                           | MC0QL6, C0QQ9                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-08                            | MC0QL7, C0QR0, C0010                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-08A                           | MC0QL8, C0QR1                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-08B                           | MC0QL9, C0QR2                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-09                            | MC0QM0, C0QR3, C0011                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-09A                           | MC0QM1, C0QR4                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-09B                           | MC0QM2, C0QR5                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-10                            | MC0QM3, C0QR6, C0012                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-10A                           | MC0QM4, C0QR7                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-10B                           | MC0QM5, C0QR8                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-11                            | C0013                                 | Soil          |                         | X           |  |
| SS-12                            | MC0QM6, C0QR9, C0014                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-12A                           | MC0QM7, C0QS0                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-12B                           | MC0QM8, C0QS1                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-13                            | MC0QM9, C0QS2, C0015                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-13A                           | MC0QN0, C0QS3                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-13B                           | MC0QN1, C0QS4                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SS-14 <sup>1</sup>               | MC0QN2, C0QS5, C0016                  | Soil          | X                       | X           | X                                      |
| SB-14A <sup>1</sup>              | MC0QN3, C0QS6                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| SB-14B <sup>1</sup>              | MC0QN4, C0QS7                         | Soil          | X                       |             | X                                      |
| <b>Blanks</b>                    |                                       |               |                         |             |  |
| TB                               | C0QS9, C0002                          | Trip Blank    |                         | X           |  |
| FB                               | MC0QN5, C0QS8, C0001                  | Field Blank   | X                       | X           | X                                      |

Duplicate for all parameters.



### **4.3 HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN**

Field activities were conducted according to the procedures described in TechLaw's *Flow Laboratory Site Final Soil Sampling and Task-specific Health and Safety Plans*, March 2002.

### **4.4 SAMPLE ANALYSIS**

The laboratories and analytical methods used for the April 2002 soil sampling events are listed below:

- Liberty Analytical Corporation, Cary, North Carolina - RAS Case Number 30388: CLP TAL Total metals by ILMO4.1
- Southwest Labs of Oklahoma, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma - RAS Case Number 30388: Volatile, Semi-volatile and Pesticides/PCBs by CLP SOW OLM04.2

### **5.0 RESULTS**

Six metals (aluminum, arsenic, chromium, iron, manganese, and vanadium), aldrin, alpha-BHC, alpha-Chlordane, beta-BHC, Lindane, heptachlor, heptachlor epoxide, benzaldehyde, benzo(a)anthracene, benzo(a)pyrene, benzo(b)fluoranthene, benzo(k)fluoranthene, bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate, chrysene and indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene exceeded the human health risk screening values (Table 5-1). Additionally, cobalt, copper, lead, magnesium, mercury, nickel, selenium, zinc, 4,4'-DDE, endrin, methoxychlor, benzo(g,h,i)perylene, fluoranthene, phenanthrene and pyrene exceeded the ecological screening values (Table 5-1). An explanation of the Table 5-1 columns is provided in Table 5-2. The compounds and sample locations for the compounds exceeding the human health risk screening values are summarized in Table 5-3.

The summary data forms from the data validation reports are provided in the following appendices:

- Appendix B - TAL metals;
- Appendix C - TCL VOCs, TCL SVOCs, and TCL Pesticides/PCBs (tentatively identified compound data sheets are also included).

**Table 5-1: Data Summary Table of Soil Samples Collected at the  
Flow Laboratory Site, Radford Army Ammunition Plant,  
Pulaski and Montgomery Counties, Virginia**

Samples: SS-01, SB-01A, SB-01B, SS-02, SB-02A, SB-02B, SS-03, SB-03A, SB-03B, SS-04, SB-04A, SB-04B, SS-05, SB-05A, SB-05B, SS-06, SB-06A, SB-06B, SS-07, SB-07A, SB-07B, SS-08, SB-08A, SB-08B, SS-09, SB-09A, SB-09B, SS-10, SB-10A, SB-10B, SS-11, SS-12, SB-12A, SB-12B, SS-13, SB-13A, SB-13B, SS-14, SB-14A, SB-14B

| Contaminant                | Frequency of Detection | Screening Concentrations         |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
|----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------------|---|------------------------------|--------------|
|                            |                        | Range of Detected Concentrations |                | RBSC Residential Soil Ingestion (1) | EPA SSL Soil Migration to Groundwater (2) | EPA Region III BTAG Soil (3) |              |
|                            |                        | Minimum (µg/g)                   | Maximum (µg/g) | (µg/g)                              | (µg/g)                                    | Flora (µg/g)                 | Fauna (µg/g) |
| <b>Inorganics - Total</b>  |                        |                                  |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Aluminum                   | 39 / 39                | 6,930 - 40,600                   |                | 7.80E+03                            |   | 1.00E+00                     |              |
| Arsenic                    | 39 / 39                | 4.3 - 33                         |                | 4.30E-01                            | 2.80E-02                                  | 3.28E+02                     |              |
| Barium                     | 39 / 39                | 3.9 - 219                        |                | 5.50E+02                            | 2.10E+03                                  | 4.40E+02                     | 4.40E+02     |
| Beryllium                  | 35 / 39                | 0.44 - 5.8                       |                | 1.60E+01                            | 1.20E+03                                  |                              |              |
| Cadmium                    | 39 / 39                | 0.096 - 1.4                      |                | 3.90E+00                            | 2.70E+01                                  | 2.50E+00                     |              |
| Calcium                    | 34 / 39                | 89.7 - 113,000                   |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Chromium                   | 39 / 39                | 8.2 - 60.9                       |                | 2.30E+01                            | 4.20E+01                                  | 2.00E-02                     | 7.50E-03     |
| Cobalt                     | 39 / 39                | 1.9 - 145                        |                | 1.60E+02                            |   | 1.00E+02                     | 2.00E+02     |
| Copper                     | 39 / 39                | 10.3 - 123                       |                | 3.10E+02                            | 1.10E+04                                  | 1.50E+01                     |              |
| Iron                       | 39 / 39                | 14,600 - 66,900                  |                | 2.30E+03                            |   | 3.28E+03                     | 1.20E+01     |
| Lead (4)                   | 39 / 39                | 7.5 - 157                        |                | 4.00E+02                            | 7.50E+02                                  | 2.00E+00                     | 1.00E-02     |
| Magnesium                  | 39 / 39                | 204 - 8,550                      |                |                                     |   | 4.40E+03                     | 4.40E+03     |
| Manganese                  | 39 / 39                | 47.3 - 1,760                     |                | 1.60E+02                            | 9.50E+02                                  | 3.30E+02                     | 3.30E+02     |
| Mercury                    | 22 / 39                | 0.053 - 0.28                     |                |                                     |   | 5.80E-02                     | 5.80E-02     |
| Nickel                     | 39 / 39                | 3 - 35.5                         |                | 1.60E+02                            |   | 2.00E+00                     |              |
| Potassium                  | 39 / 39                | 351 - 6,840                      |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Selenium                   | 36 / 39                | 0.58 - 1.8                       |                | 3.90E+01                            | 1.90E+01                                  | 1.80E+00                     | 1.80E+00     |
| Sodium                     | 25 / 39                | 36.6 - 10,600                    |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Vanadium                   | 39 / 39                | 20.9 - 171                       |                | 5.50E+01                            | 5.10E+03                                  | 5.00E-01                     | 5.80E+01     |
| Zinc                       | 39 / 39                | 6.4 - 1,920                      |                | 2.30E+03                            | 1.40E+04                                  | 1.00E+01                     |              |
| <b>Volatiles</b>           |                        |                                  |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Trichlorofluoromethane     | 2 / 14                 | 4 - 5                            |                | 2.30E+03                            | 2.30E+01                                  |                              |              |
| <b>Pesticides/PCBs</b>     |                        |                                  |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Aldrin                     | 7 / 39                 | 0.085 - 0.64                     |                | 3.80E-02                            | 7.70E-03                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| alpha-BHC                  | 4 / 39                 | 0.17 - 1.5                       |                | 1.00E-01                            | 8.90E-04                                  |                              |              |
| alpha-Chlordane            | 13 / 39                | 1 - 5.3                          |                | 1.80E+00                            | 9.20E-01                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| beta-BHC                   | 1 / 39                 | 2.8 - 2.8                        |                | 3.50E-01                            | 3.10E-03                                  |                              |              |
| 4,4'-DDE                   | 5 / 39                 | 0.4 - 1.6                        |                | 1.90E+00                            | 3.50E+01                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| delta-BHC                  | 2 / 39                 | 2.1 - 3.4                        |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Endosulfan I               | 1 / 39                 | 0.25 - 0.25                      |                | 4.70E+01                            | 2.00E+01                                  |                              |              |
| Endosulfan II              | 1 / 39                 | 0.49 - 0.49                      |                | 4.70E+01                            | 2.00E+01                                  |                              |              |
| Endosulfan sulfate         | 2 / 39                 | 7.6 - 7.9                        |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Endrin                     | 1 / 39                 | 0.31 - 0.31                      |                | 2.30E+00                            | 5.40E+00                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| Endrin aldehyde            | 1 / 39                 | 5 - 5                            |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| gamma-BHC (Lindane)        | 4 / 39                 | 0.22 - 3.8                       |                | 4.90E-01                            | 4.30E-03                                  |                              |              |
| Heptachlor                 | 15 / 39                | 1.4 - 14                         |                | 1.40E-01                            | 8.40E-01                                  |                              |              |
| Heptachlor epoxide         | 1 / 39                 | 0.94 - 0.94                      |                | 7.00E-03                            | 2.50E-02                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| Methoxychlor               | 2 / 39                 | 0.47 - 5.5                       |                | 3.90E+01                            | 3.10E+02                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| <b>Semivolatiles</b>       |                        |                                  |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Benzaldehyde               | 22 / 39                | 190 - 23000+                     |                | 7.80E+02                            |   |                              |              |
| Benzo(a)anthracene         | 1 / 39                 | 74 - 74                          |                | 8.70E-01                            | 1.50E+00                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| Benzo(a)pyrene             | 2 / 39                 | 29 - 80                          |                | 8.70E-02                            | 3.70E-01                                  |                              | 1.00E-01     |
| Benzo(b)fluoranthene       | 3 / 39                 | 27 - 97                          |                | 8.70E-01                            | 4.50E+00                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| Benzo(g,h,i)perylene       | 1 / 39                 | 55 - 55                          |                |                                     |   | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| Benzo(k)fluoranthene       | 1 / 39                 | 68 - 68                          |                | 8.70E+00                            | 4.50E+01                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| 1,1'-Biphenyl              | 1 / 39                 | 51 - 51                          |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate | 8 / 39                 | 28 - 2100                        |                | 4.60E+01                            | 2.90E+03                                  |                              |              |
| Caprolactam                | 1 / 39                 | 31 - 31                          |                | 3.90E+03                            |   |                              |              |
| Chrysene                   | 3 / 39                 | 28 - 110                         |                | 8.70E+01                            | 1.50E+02                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| Di-n-butylphthalate        | 3 / 39                 | 23 - 73                          |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Di-n-octylphthalate        | 3 / 39                 | 35 - 100                         |                |                                     |   |                              |              |
| Fluoranthene               | 7 / 39                 | 28 - 210                         |                | 3.10E+02                            | 6.30E+03                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene     | 1 / 39                 | 61 - 61                          |                | 8.70E-01                            | 1.30E+01                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| Phenanthrene               | 4 / 39                 | 26 - 110                         |                |                                     |   | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |
| Pyrene                     | 8 / 39                 | 28 - 160                         |                | 2.30E+02                            | 6.80E+02                                  | 1.00E-01                     | 1.00E-01     |

- (1) Risk Based Concentration (RBC) values for residential soil ingestion taken from EPA Region III RBC Tables, April 2002, version. HQ = 0.1 for non-carcinogens; risk = 1.00E-006 for carcinogens.
- (2) Soil Screening Levels (SSL) for transfer from soil to groundwater were obtained from EPA Region III RBC Tables, April 2002 version for a DAF of 20.
- (3) Biological Technical Assistance Group (BTAG) values for soil screening are from August 1995 version.
- (4) Lead OSWER Soil Screening Level for residential land use from "Revised Interim Soil Lead for CERCLA Sites and RCRA Corrective Action Facilities," July 1994.

**Table 5-2: Explanation of the Data Summary Table  
Flow Laboratory Site, Radford Army Amunition Plant,  
Pulaski and Montgomery Counties, Virginia**

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| Frequency of Detection  | The number of samples in which a contaminant was detected above the detection limits followed by the total number of samples analyzed (including duplicates).  |
| Range of Detected Concentrations                                  | The minimum and maximum detected concentrations.   |
| RBSC Residential Soil Ingestion                                   | April 2002, EPA Region III RBCs Table. The RBSCs represent a hazard quotient (HQ) of 0.1 for non-carcinogens, and a cancer risk of $1 \times 10^{-6}$ for carcinogens.   |
| EPA Soil Screening Level (SSL)<br>- Soil Migration to Groundwater | EPA Region III soil-to-groundwater SSLs (DAF=20) as provided in the April 2002, EPA Region III RBC table.  |
| EPA Region III BTAG Soil and Aquatic Freshwater Levels            | EPA Region III Biological Technical Assistance Group (BTAG) screening levels for soil and aquatic freshwater flora and fauna, August 1995.   |
| Highlighted Cells   | Highlighted cells are those for which concentrations detected in a sample exceeds one or more screening values (i.e., RBSC for Residential Soil Ingestion, BTAG Levels). The screening value(s) exceeded and the name of the compound are highlighted. |



**Table 5-3: Summary of Human Health Screening Exceedances  
for Soil Samples Collected April 2002  
Flow Laboratory Site, Radford Army Amunition Plant,  
Pulaski and Montgomery Counties, Virginia**

| <b>Contaminant</b> | <b>TechLaw<br/>Sample Number</b>                  | <b>CEP Sample<br/>Numbers</b>                      | <b>RBC<br/>Exceedance</b> | <b>SSL<br/>Exceedance</b> |
|--------------------|---|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Aluminum           | All Samples except<br>SB-05B, SS-09 and<br>SB-12B | All Samples except<br>MC0QL0, MC0QM0 and<br>MC0QM8 | X                         |                           |
| Arsenic            | All Samples                                       | All Samples  | X                         | X                         |
| Chromium           | SS-01   | MC0QJ6   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-01A  | MC0QJ7   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-01B  | MC0QJ8   | X                         | X                         |
|                    | SB-02A  | MC0QK0   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-02B  | MC0QK1   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-03A  | MC0QK3   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-04A  | MC0QK6   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-04B  | MC0QK7   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-05A  | MC0QK9   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-05B  | MC0QL0   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-06   | MC0QL1   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-06A  | MC0QL2   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-06B  | MC0QL3   | X                         | X                         |
|                    | SB-07A  | MC0QL5   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-07B  | MC0QL6   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-08   | MC0QL7   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-08A  | MC0QL8   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-08B  | MC0QL9   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-09   | MC0QM0   | X                         | X                         |
|                    | SB-09A  | MC0QM1   | X                         | X                         |
|                    | SB-09B  | MC0QM2   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-10   | MC0QM3   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-10A  | MC0QM4   | X                         | X                         |
|                    | SB-10B  | MC0QM5   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-12A  | MC0QM7   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-13   | MC0QM9   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-13B  | MC0QN1   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-14B  | MC0QN4   | X                         |                           |
| Iron               | All Samples                                       | All Samples  | X                         |                           |
| Manganese          | SS-01   | MC0QJ6   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-02   | MC0QJ9   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-02A  | MC0QK0   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-03   | MC0QK2   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-03B  | MC0QK4   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-04   | MC0QK5   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-04B  | MC0QK7   | X                         | X                         |
|                    | SS-05   | MC0QK8   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-06   | MC0QL1   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-07   | MC0QL4   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SS-08   | MC0QL7   | X                         |                           |
|                    | SB-08B  | MC0QL9   | X                         |                           |

| Contaminant     | TechLaw<br>Sample Number | CLP Sample<br>Numbers | RBC<br>Exceedance <sup>1</sup> | SSL<br>Exceedance <sup>2</sup> |
|-----------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
|                 | SS-09                    | MC0QM0                | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-10B                   | MC0QM5                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SS-12                    | MC0QM6                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SS-13                    | MC0QM9                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SS-14                    | MC0QN2                | X                              |                                |
| Vanadium        | SS-01                    | MC0QJ6                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-01A                   | MC0QJ7                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-01B                   | MC0QJ8                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-02A                   | MC0QK0                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-02B                   | MC0QK1                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-03A                   | MC0QK3                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-03B                   | MC0QK4                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-04A                   | MC0QK6                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-04B                   | MC0QK7                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SS-06                    | MC0QL1                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-06A                   | MC0QL2                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-06B                   | MC0QL3                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-07A                   | MC0QL5                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-07B                   | MC0QL6                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-08A                   | MC0QL8                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-08B                   | MC0QL9                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-09A                   | MC0QM1                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-09B                   | MC0QM2                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SS-10                    | MC0QM3                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-10A                   | MC0QM4                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-10B                   | MC0QM5                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-12A                   | MC0QM7                | X                              |                                |
|                 | SB-13B                   | MC0QN1                | X                              |                                |
| Aldrin          | SB-07B                   | C0QQ9                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-08A                   | C0QR1                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-08B                   | C0QR2                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-09A                   | C0QR4                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-10A                   | C0QR7                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-12A                   | C0QS0                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-12B                   | C0QS1                 | X                              | X                              |
| alpha-BHC       | SS-08                    | C0QR0                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SS-13                    | C0QS2                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-14A                   | C0QS6                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-14B                   | C0QS7                 | X                              | X                              |
| alpha-Chlordane | SS-01                    | C0QN9                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SS-03                    | C0QP5                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SS-08                    | C0QR0                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-08B                   | C0QR2                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-09A                   | C0QR4                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-09B                   | C0QR5                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SS-10                    | C0QR6                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-10A                   | C0QR7                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-10B                   | C0QR8                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-12B                   | C0QS1                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-13A                   | C0QS3                 | X                              | X                              |
|                 | SB-14B                   | C0QS7                 | X                              | X                              |

| Contaminant                | TechLaw<br>Sample Number | CLP Sample<br>Numbers | CMC/<br>RBC<br>Exceedance <sup>1</sup> | SSL<br>Exceedance <sup>2</sup> |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| beta-BHC                   | SS-01                    | C0QN9                 | X                                      | X                              |
| gamma-BHC<br>(Lindane)     | SS-09                    | C0QR3                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-12                    | C0QR9                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-13                    | C0QS2                 |  | X                              |
|                            | SS-14                    | C0QS5                 |  | X                              |
| Heptachlor                 | SB-01B                   | C0QP1                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-02                    | C0QP2                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SB-02B                   | C0QP4                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-03                    | C0QP5                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SB-03B                   | C0QP7                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SB-04A                   | C0QP9                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SB-04B                   | C0QQ0                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-05                    | C0QQ1                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SB-05A                   | C0QQ2                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SB-05B                   | C0QQ3                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-06                    | C0QQ4                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SB-06A                   | C0QQ5                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SB-06B                   | C0QQ6                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-07                    | C0QQ7                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SB-07A                   | C0QQ8                 | X                                      | X                              |
| Heptachlor epoxide         | SS-07                    | C0QQ7                 | X                                      | X                              |
| Benzaldehyde               | SS-01                    | C0QN9                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-02                    | C0QP2                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SB-02A                   | C0QP3                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SB-02B                   | C0QP4                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-03                    | C0QP5                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-04                    | C0QP8                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-07                    | C0QQ7                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SB-07A                   | C0QQ8                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SB-07B                   | C0QQ9                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-08                    | C0QR0                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-10                    | C0QR6                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-12                    | C0QR9                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-13                    | C0QS2                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-13B                   | C0QS4                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-14                    | C0QS5                 | X                                      |                                |
| Benzo(a)anthracene         | SS-12                    | C0QR9                 | X                                      | X                              |
| Benzo(a)pyrene             | SS-12                    | C0QR9                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-14                    | C0QS5                 | X                                      | X                              |
| Benzo(b)fluoranthene       | SS-05                    | C0QQ1                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-12                    | C0QR9                 | X                                      | X                              |
|                            | SS-14                    | C0QS5                 | X                                      | X                              |
| Benzo(k)fluoranthene       | SS-12                    | C0QR9                 | X                                      | X                              |
| bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate | SS-08                    | C0QR0                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SB-08B                   | C0QR2                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-09                    | C0QR3                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-10                    | C0QR6                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-12                    | C0QR9                 | X                                      |                                |
|                            | SS-13                    | C0QS2                 | X                                      |                                |

| Contaminant            | TechLaw Sample Number | CLP Sample Numbers | RBC Exceedance <sup>1</sup> | SSL Exceedance <sup>2</sup> |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                        | SS-14                 | C0QS5              | X                           |                             |
| Chrysene               | SS-12                 | C0QR9              | X                           |                             |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene | SS-12                 | C0QR9              | X                           | X                           |

<sup>1</sup> Risk Based Concentration (RBC) values for tap water ingestion taken from EPA Region III RBC Tables, April 2002, version. HQ = 0.1 for non-carcinogens; risk = 1.00E-006 for carcinogens.

<sup>2</sup> Soil Screening Levels (SSL) for transfer from soil to groundwater taken from EPA Region III RBC Tables, April 2002 version for a DAF of 20.

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**Appendix A: Photograph Log**

**April 2002, Soil Sampling Events**

**RADFORD ARMY AMMUNITION PLANT  
PULASKI AND MONTGOMERY COUNTIES  
VIRGINIA**

**Soil Sampling – Flow Laboratories Site  
Photographic Log**

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Photo 1: Sample Location SS1/SB1





Photo 2: Sample location SS1/SB1 looking down into the trench

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Photo 3: View of 0-4' and 4'-8' horizon sample cores for SB1. The 0-4' horizon is on the far side.



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Photo 4: SB1A/SB1B cores open for soil classification and sampling. Note the dense nature of the clay with depth.

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Photo 5: Geoprobe setup at Sample Location SS2/SB2

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Photo 6: View of Sample Location SS1/SB1. Orange stake marks the sample location

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Photo 7: 4 feet and 8 feet horizon cores from SB2

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Photo 8: Geoprobe setup at Sample Location SS3/SB3



Photo 9: 4 feet and 8 feet horizon from SB3

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Photo 10: SB3 4 feet horizon cut open for classification and sampling

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Photo 11: SB3 48 feet soil horizon (near) cut open for classification and sampling

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Photo 12: The geoprobe operator decontaminating the rods (far right)

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Photo 13: Geoprobe setup at Sample Location SS4/SB4

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Photo 14: SB4 four feet soil horizon cut open for classification and sampling.

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Photo 15: SB4 four feet soil horizon (near) and eight feet horizon (far)



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Photo 16: Geoprobe setup at Sample Location SS5/SB5



Photo 17: SB5 zero to one (near) and one to five feet (far) soil horizon. The first attempt result in a recovery of only one foot long sample.



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Photo 18: SB5 eight feet soil horizon core (far)



Photo 19: Geoprobe setup at Sample Location SS6/SB6





Photo 20: SB6 four feet soil horizon core

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Photo 21: SB6 eight feet soil horizon (far)





Photo 22: Geoprobe setup at Sample Location SS7/SB7

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Photo 23: SB7 four feet soil horizon



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Photo 24: SB7 refusal at 6.5 feet. The sample recovered (far) is from 4 feet to 6.5 feet. A cement-like material is visible at 6 feet (right end of core).

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Photo 25: Geoprobe setup at the south end of the horseshoe area at Sample Location SS8/SB8. This sample was supposed to be collected on the west berm (left of the geoprobe) but due to access problems SS8/SB8 was relocated to the edge of the standing water, since the sample proposed at the center could not be collected due to the ponded water.





Photo 26: SB8 four feet soil horizon

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Photo 27: SB8 eight feet soil horizon. Note the densely packed uniform and undisturbed clay.

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Photo 28: Geoprobe setup at Sampling Location SS9/SB9





Photo 29: SB9 four feet soil horizon

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Photo 30: SB9 eight feet soil horizon (far)

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Photo 31: Geoprobe setup at Sample Location SS10/SB10

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Photo 32: SB10 four feet soil horizon. Note the densely packed and undisturbed clay, except for the first four inches (left end) of clay with organic material.

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Photo 33: SB10 eight feet soil horizon. This core exhibited some sand and was very dry.

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Photo 34: Geoprobe setup at Sample Location SS12/SB12

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Photo 35: SB12 eight feet soil horizon

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Photo 36: Geoprobe setup at Sample Location SS13/SB13 – SS14/SB14. This is at the dump area with numerous tires and house hold articles.

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Photo 37: SB13/14 four feet soil horizon. Except approximately 6 inches of dark organic and sandy soil at the shallow end (left) the core consists of redish-brown sandy silt and silty clay.

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Photo 38: SB13/14 eight feet soil horizon. Note how dry the core is, except for the first 2 feet (left end). This location is very close to the horseshoe area.